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DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY

by -

Allen M. Christensen

(Print name of candidate exactly as it is to be printed on the Official Ballots)

for the office of STATE SENATOR 19

STATE OF UTAH

County of Weber

ss.

3-7-2008
(Date)

I, Allen M. Christensen, declare my intention of becoming a candidate for the office of STATE SENATOR as a candidate for the Republican party. I do solemnly swear that: I will meet the qualifications to hold the office, both legally and constitutionally, if selected; I reside at 1233 E 2250 N. Street, in the City or Town of North Ogden, in the state of Utah, Zip Code 84414, Phone No. 782-5600; I will not knowingly violate any law governing campaigns and elections; I will file all campaign financial disclosure reports as required by law; and I understand that failure to do so will result in my disqualification as a candidate for this office and removal of my name from the ballot. The mailing address that I designate for receiving official election notices is

1233 E 2250 N., North Ogden, Utah 84414.

Additional information:

achristensen@UTAHsenate.org
e-mail Address

Signature of Candidate

allenchristensen.com
Web Site

Notary Public (or other officer qualified to administer oath)

3/7/2008
Date**For Office Use**

Date Certified by Party

Date Received

Certified by _____

(Party)

Received by _____

(Authorized Person)

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PLEDGE OF FAIR CAMPAIGN PRACTICES

There are basic principles of decency, honesty, and fair play which every candidate for public office in the State of Utah has a moral obligation to observe and uphold, in order that, after vigorously contested but fairly conducted campaigns, our citizens may exercise their right to a free election, and that the will of the people may be fully and clearly expressed on the issues.

THEREFORE:

I SHALL conduct my campaign openly and publicly, discussing the issues as I see them, presenting my record and policies with sincerity and frankness, and criticizing, without fear or favor, the record and policies of my opponents that I believe merit criticism.

I SHALL NOT use nor shall I permit the use of scurrilous attacks on any candidate or the candidate's immediate family. I shall not participate in or nor shall I permit the use of defamation, libel, or slander against any candidate or the candidate's immediate family. I shall not participate in nor shall I permit the use of any other criticism of any candidate or the candidate's immediate family that I do not believe to be truthful, provable, and relevant to my campaign.

I SHALL NOT use nor shall I permit the use of any practice that tends to corrupt or undermine our American system of free elections, or that hinders or prevents the free expression of the will of the voters, including practices intended to hinder or prevent any eligible person from registering to vote or voting.

I SHALL NOT coerce election help or campaign contributions for myself or for any other candidate from my employees or volunteers.

I SHALL immediately and publicly repudiate support deriving from any individual or group which resorts, on behalf of my candidacy or in opposition to that of an opponent, to methods in violation of the letter or spirit of this pledge. I shall accept responsibility to take firm action against any subordinate who violates any provision of this pledge or the laws governing elections.

I SHALL defend and uphold the right of every qualified American voter to full and equal participation in the electoral process.

I, the undersigned, candidate for election to public office in the State of Utah, hereby voluntarily endorse, subscribe to, and solemnly pledge myself to conduct my campaign in accordance with the above principles and practices.

Name: Allen Christensen

Signature: Allen Christensen

Date: 3-7-08

If it appears that the prospective candidate meets the requirements of candidacy, the filing officer shall provide the candidate with a copy of the pledge of fair campaign practices and inform the candidate that signing the pledge is voluntary, and signed pledges shall be filed with the filing officer, and be retained for public inspection for 30 calendar days after the election.

A pledge that is submitted for filing by a candidate is a public record under Title 63, Chapter 2, Government Records Access and Management Act

A candidate may not be required to subscribe to, endorse, or sign the pledge of fair campaign practices.